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For: SINGLE STRANDED OLIGONUCLEOTIDES, PROBES, PRIMERS AND METHOD
FOR DETECTING SPIROCHETES

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In reply to the November 15, 2002 Notification of Defective Response (copy attached) (December 15 being a Sunday), please further amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

At the end of the application, please replace the current Sequence Listing with the attached paper and computer-readable Sequence Listing.

REMARKS

Claims 1-15 are pending.

The attached paper copy and computer-readable copy of the Sequence Listing are submitted in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825. The contents of the paper copy and the computer-readable copy of the Sequence Listing are the same. No new matter is added. Support for the information provided in the Sequence Listing can be found in the original Sequence Listing.

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Early and favorable consideration on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,


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Attachments:

Copy of Notification of Defective Response
Sequence Listing (paper and computer-readable copies)

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